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BOX PATENT APPLICATION Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

> Re: Application of Kazumi FUJII

> > DISC CABLE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

Our Ref. 064245

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 17 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 7 sheet(s) of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Applicant claims benefit of small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.27.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows (Small Entity fees apply):

Total claims Independent claims Base Fee Multiple Dependent	$\frac{16}{6} - 20$ Claim Fee	=	3	x x	\$9.00 \$40.00	= .	\$.00 \$120.00 \$355.00 \$135.00
TOTAL FILING FEE Recordation of Assignment TOTAL FEE						\$610.00 \$40.00 \$650.00	

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$610.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from April 6, 2001 and September 21, 2000 based on Japanese Application Nos. 2001-108413, and 2000-287428 respectively. The priority documents will be filed at a later date.

> Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE, MION, ZINN, MACPEAK & SEAS, PLLC Attorneys for Applicant

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